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| In re Applicant:                | § | Confirmation No: 2037    |
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| Serial No.: 10/525,745          | § |                          |
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| Filed: February 28, 2005        | § | Group Art Unit: 2416     |
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| For: Operations Method in an    | § |                          |
| Ethernet Passive Optical        | § |                          |
| Network that Includes a Network | § |                          |
| Unit with Multiple Entities     | § |                          |
|                                 | § | Attorney Docket: 2823/23 |
| Examiner: Phuongchau Ba NGUYEN  | § |                          |

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Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE TO FINAL**

Madam:

This amendment is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Final Office Action mailed April 15, 2009, which response is being made on or before July 15, 2009 and for which no late fees are due.

Please amend the above-mentioned application as follows: